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RE: PROPOSED AQUIFER EXAMPTION

PUBLIC NOTICE FOR PROPOSED AQUIFER EXEMPTION

AQUIFER EXEMPTION

In accordance with the criteria of 40 C.F.R. 148.2 of the Federal EPA Underground Injection Control (UIC) Program the Division of Oil and Gas hereby invites comments on the proposal to grant an "aquifer exemption" for the Oicese formation within the Poso Creek Oilfield located at Section 29 T.278., R.27E. M.D., Kern County.

Oilfield produced brine of about 1200 TDS, and 1.5 ppm Boron are proposed to be injected into the Oicese formation at a depth of 215° -3465°. The Oicese formation at the proposed injection interval has a TDS value of about \$130 and Boron of 11.5 ppm.

Any interested person may comment or submit a written request for a hearing to the Division no later than 15 calendar days from the publication of this notice.

Further information can be obtained from the Division office at 4800 Sechada Highway, Suite 417, Bakersfield, California 93309; (805) 324031.

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